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HB 740

Amendments to House Bill No. 740 3rd Reading Copy

Requested by Representative Alan Olson

For the House Appropriations Committee

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1. Page 1, line 17 through line 18.

Following: "(b)" on line 17

Strike: "is" through "guard" on line 18

Insert: "meets at least one of the following criteria:

(i) was separated under honorable conditions from active federal military duty in the armed forces after having served more than 180 consecutive days, other than for training;

- (ii) as a member of the reserve component under an order of federal duty pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 12301(a), (d), or (g), 10 U.S.C. 12302, or 10 U.S.C. 12304, served on active duty during a period of war or in a campaign or expedition for which a campaign badge is authorized and was discharged or released from duty under honorable conditions; or
- (iii) satisfactorily completed a minimum of 6 years of service in the armed forces with at least the last 3 years of service having been in the Montana army or air national guard"

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